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JUDY MOUNT, TREASURER

DEMOCRATIC EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF
FLORIDA

214 SOUTH BRONOUGH STREET
TALLAHASSEE, FL 32301

Response Due Date 05/09/2016

**IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: C00005561** 

REFERENCE: AMENDED FEBRUARY MONTHLY REPORT (01/01/2016 - 01/31/2016), RECEIVED 03/21/2016

## Dear Treasurer:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report referenced above. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. Failure to adequately respond by the response date noted above could result in an audit or enforcement action. Additional information is needed for the following 2 item(s):

- 1. Schedule A, supporting Line 12 of your report discloses memos totaling \$57,000 from "Patrick Murphy Victory Fund," a transfer totaling \$56,800 from "MURPHY VICTORY FUND" and memos and transfers totaling \$20,005 from "Tadeo Victory Fund," that appear to be received through joint fundraising efforts. However, "Patrick Murphy Victory Fund," "MURPHY VICTORY FUND," and "Tadeo Victory Fund" are not disclosed as a joint fundraising representatives on your Statement of Organization. Please amend your Statement of Organization to disclose the joint fundraising representative or amend your report to provide clarifying information. (11 CFR §102.2)
- 2. Your report does not include a Schedule H1 to disclose the ratio for the allocation of certain costs. For State, District and Local party committees, Schedule H1 must be filed in the first report each calendar year that discloses an allocable disbursement. Further, all shared administrative, generic voter drive and exempt activity costs incurred during the two-year cycle must be allocated according to the appropriate fixed ratio, unless the federal account elects to pay a higher percentage of its cost. (11 CFR §§106.7(d)(2) and (3))
- Your report discloses certain categories of financial activity that have been reflected on the wrong lines of the Detailed Summary Page. For your

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information and consideration when preparing future filings, other disbursements should be properly disclosed on a separate Schedule(s) B, supporting Line(s) 29 of the Detailed Summary Page. Please refer to the instructions for each line when determining the proper categorization(s) for your next filing. (52 U.S.C. §30104(b) (formerly 2 U.S.C. §434(b)) and FORM 3X Instructions)

Please note, you will not receive an additional notice from the Commission on this matter. Adequate responses must be received by the Commission on or before the due date noted above to be taken into consideration in determining whether audit action will be initiated. Failure to comply with the provisions of the Act may also result in an enforcement action against the committee. Any response submitted by your committee will be placed on the public record and will be considered by the Commission prior to taking enforcement action. Requests for extensions of time in which to respond will not be considered.

Electronic filers must file amendments (to include statements, designations and reports) in an electronic format and must submit an amended report in its entirety, rather than just those portions of the report that are being amended. If you should have any questions regarding this matter or wish to verify the adequacy of your response, please contact me on our toll-free number (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 5 to reach the Reports Analysis Division) or my local number (202) 694-1164.

Sincerely,

Nicole Miller

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